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In re application of: Nikko Strom et al.

Application No.: 09/816,743

Art Unit.: 2655

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Examiner: Daniel D. Abebe

For: "Histogram Grammar Weighting And Error Corrective Training Of Grammar Weights"

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: December 29, 2004

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
- STATUS:** Applicant is a small entity.
- EXTENSION OF TERM:** The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- FEE FOR CLAIMS:** The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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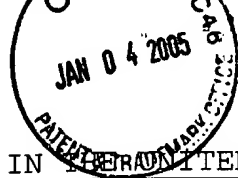
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Applicant: Nikko Strom et al.

Assignee: TellMe Networks, Inc.

Title: HISTOGRAM GRAMMAR WEIGHTING AND ERROR CORRECTIVE
TRAINING OF GRAMMAR WEIGHTS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed
from the Patent Office on September 29, 2004.